

1 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
2 DISTRICT OF NEVADA

3 COREY HAMILTON,

4 Plaintiff

Case No. 3:19-cv-00617-MMD-CBC

5 v.

ORDER

6 RICHARD SNYDER, *et al.*,

7 Defendants  
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9 **I. DISCUSSION**

10 Plaintiff, who is an inmate in the custody of the Nevada Department of Corrections  
11 (“NDOC”), has submitted a civil rights complaint pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 1983 and has  
12 filed an application to proceed *in forma pauperis*. (ECF Nos. 1-1, 1).

13 Plaintiff’s application to proceed *in forma pauperis* is incomplete. Pursuant to 28  
14 U.S.C. § 1915(a)(2) and Local Rule LSR 1-2, Plaintiff must complete an application to  
15 proceed *in forma pauperis* and attach both an inmate account statement for the past six  
16 months and a properly executed financial certificate. Plaintiff has not submitted a properly  
17 executed financial certificate on the correct form or an inmate account statement. (See  
18 ECF No. 1). As such, the *in forma pauperis* application is denied without prejudice. The  
19 Court will retain Plaintiff’s civil rights complaint (ECF No. 1-1), but will not file it until the  
20 matter of the payment of the filing fee is resolved. Plaintiff will be granted an opportunity  
21 to cure the deficiencies of his application to proceed *in forma pauperis*, or in the  
22 alternative, pay the full filing fee for this action. If Plaintiff chooses to file a new application  
23 to proceed *in forma pauperis* he must file a fully complete application to proceed *in forma*  
24 *pauperis*.

25 **II. CONCLUSION**

26 For the foregoing reasons, IT IS ORDERED that Plaintiff’s application to proceed  
27 *in forma pauperis* (ECF No. 1) is DENIED without prejudice to file a new application.

28 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Clerk of the Court WILL SEND Plaintiff the

1 approved form application to proceed *in forma pauperis* by a prisoner, as well as the  
2 document entitled information and instructions for filing an *in forma pauperis* application.

3 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that within **thirty (30) days** from the date of this order,  
4 Plaintiff will either: (1) file a fully complete application to proceed *in forma pauperis*, on  
5 the correct form with complete financial attachments in compliance with 28 U.S.C. §  
6 1915(a); or (2) pay the full \$400 fee for filing a civil action (which includes the \$350 filing  
7 fee and the \$50 administrative fee).

8 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that if Plaintiff does not timely comply with this order,  
9 dismissal of this action may result.

10 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Clerk of the Court will retain the complaint  
11 (ECF No. 1-1) but will not file it at this time.

12 DATED: October 10, 2019.

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15 UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE  
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